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I have the honour to refer to Part B, paragraphs 5 and 6 of Security Council resolution 814 of 26 March 1993, which reads as follows:

"Acting under Chapter VII of the Charter of the United Nations,

5. Decides to expand the size of the UNOSOM force and its mandate in accordance with the recommendations contained in paragraphs 56-88 of the report of the Secretary-General of 3 March 1992, and the provisions of this resolution;

6. Authorizes the mandate for the expanded UNOSOM (UNOSOM II) for an initial period through 31 October 1993, unless previously renewed by the Security Council;"

In order to give effect to the above provisions of this resolution, I have undertaken consultations with a number of Governments which had signified to me their readiness to participate in the expanded UNOSOM II force. On the basis of these consultations, I am now in a position to recommend to the Security Council that it grant approval to the following list of troop-contributing Governments for UNOSOM II. The list reads as follows: Argentina, Australia, Bangladesh, Belgium, Botswana, Egypt, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, India, Indonesia, Ireland, Italy, Jordan, Malaysia, Morocco, New Zealand, Nigeria, Norway, Pakistan, Republic of Korea, Romania, Saudi Arabia, Sweden, Tunisia, Turkey, United Arab Emirates, United States of America and Zimbabwe.

(Signed) Boutros BOUTROS-GHALI